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For:	METHOD FOR FORMING A BONDED)	
	SUBSTRATE CONTAINING A PLANAR)	
	INTRINSIC GETTERING ZONE AND)	
	SUBSTRATE FORMED BY SAID METHOD)	

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

This is a divisional patent application of U.S. Serial No. 09/255,231, filed February 22, 1999. Please amend the application as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS

Please cancel claims 1 - 23.

Respectfully submitted,

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